Public Notice of an Air Pollution Permit Application Review

Facility Description.

WPL - Edgewater Generating Station, located at 3739 Lakeshore Dr., Sheboygan, Sheboygan County, Wisconsin, FID 460033090, submitted to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) a permit application, including plans and specifications for construction an air quality control system including a circulating dry scrubber and baghouse system to control emissions of sulfur dioxide and acid gases and particulate matter emissions. Air pollution construction permit no. 13-POY-154.

Application Review.

DNR has made a preliminary determination that the application meets state and federal air pollution control requirements and that the permit should be approved. You can review the permit application, the DNR's analysis and draft permit prepared by the DNR at the Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Air Management Headquarters, Seventh Floor, 101 South Webster Street, Madison, Wisconsin, 53703; Southeast Region Air Program, Plymouth Service Center, 1155 Pilgrim Road, Plymouth, WI 53073, tel. (920) 893-8526; and at the Mead Public Library, 710 North 8 Street, Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081-3081, or contact Paul O. Yeung at (608) 266-0672 or by e-mail at paul.yeung@wisconsin.gov. This information is also available for downloading from Internet at http://dnr.wi.gov/cias/am/amexternal/AM_PermitTrackingSearch.aspx.

This type of proposal normally does not have the potential to cause significant adverse environmental effects and the DNR has not prepared an Environmental Assessment of the proposal. This preliminary determination does not constitute approval from the Air Management Program or any other DNR sections which may also require a review of the project.

Public Comments.

Interested persons wishing to submit written comments on the application, or DNR's review of it, should do so within 30 days of publication of this notice. Posting and Public Comment Deadline dates can also be found on "Air permit public notices" web page located at http://dnr.wi.gov/cias/am/amexternal/public_notices.aspx. Comments should be sent to:

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Bureau of Air Management, 101 S. Webster Street, Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707-7921. Attn.: Paul O. Yeung.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to ss. 285.13(1), and 285.61(7), Wis. Stats., DNR will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on the air pollution control construction permit application submitted by WPL-Edgewater Generating Station.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the public hearing will be held:

On Thursday, February 6, 2014 at 2:00 pm Mead Public Library Rocca Meeting Room 710 North 8 Street Sheboygan, Wisconsin

All comments received by the DNR at the public hearing will be considered prior to making a final decision regarding the proposed project. After the public hearing, a final decision will be made on whether to issue or deny the air pollution control construction permit. If you would like a copy of the final determination, contact Mr. Paul O. Yeung of DNR, Bureau of Air Management, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, Wisconsin 53707, or by telephone at (608) 266-0672.

Information on the public commenting and hearing process is available at http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/AirPermits/Process.html.

Reasonable accommodation, including the provision of informational material in an alternative format, will be provided for qualified individuals with disabilities upon request.

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES For the Secretary

By /s/ Kristin Hart

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